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- (b) County of Residence. For each civil case filed, except U.S. plaintiff cases, enter the name of the county where the first listed plaintiff resides at the time of filing. In U.S. plaintiff cases, enter the name of the county in which the first listed defendant resides at the time of filing. (NOTE: In land condemnation cases, the county of residence of the "defendant" is the location of the tract of land involved.)
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- II. Jurisdiction. The basis of jurisdiction is set forth under Rule 8(a), F.R.Cv.P., which requires that jurisdictions be shown in pleadings. Place an "X" in one of the boxes. If there is more than one basis of jurisdiction, precedence is given in the order shown below.
 United States plaintiff. (1) Jurisdiction based on 28 U.S.C. 1345 and 1348. Suits by agencies and officers of the United States are included here.
 United States defendant. (2) When the plaintiff is suing the United States, its officers or agencies, place an "X" in this box.
 Federal question. (3) This refers to suits under 28 U.S.C. 1331, where jurisdiction arises under the Constitution of the United States, an amendment to the Constitution, an act of Congress or a treaty of the United States. In cases where the U.S. is a party, the U.S. plaintiff or defendant code takes precedence, and box 1 or 2 should be marked.
 Diversity of citizenship. (4) This refers to suits under 28 U.S.C. 1332, where parties are citizens of different states. When Box 4 is checked, the citizenship of the different parties must be checked. (See Section III below; NOTE: federal question actions take precedence over diversity cases.)
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- IV. Nature of Suit. Place an "X" in the appropriate box. If there are multiple nature of suit codes associated with the case, pick the nature of suit code that is most applicable. Click here for: Nature of Suit Code Descriptions.
- V. Origin. Place an "X" in one of the seven boxes.
 - Original Proceedings. (1) Cases which originate in the United States district courts.

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Remanded from Appellate Court. (3) Check this box for cases remanded to the district court for further action. Use the date of remand as the filing date.

Reinstated or Reopened. (4) Check this box for cases reinstated or reopened in the district court. Use the reopening date as the filing date. Transferred from Another District. (5) For cases transferred under Title 28 U.S.C. Section 1404(a). Do not use this for within district transfers or multidistrict litigation transfers.

Multidistrict Litigation – Transfer. (6) Check this box when a multidistrict case is transferred into the district under authority of Title 28 U.S.C. Section 1407.

Multidistrict Litigation – Direct File. (8) Check this box when a multidistrict case is filed in the same district as the Master MDL docket. **PLEASE NOTE THAT THERE IS NOT AN ORIGIN CODE 7.** Origin Code 7 was used for historical records and is no longer relevant due to changes in statue.

- VI. Cause of Action. Report the civil statute directly related to the cause of action and give a brief description of the cause. Do not cite jurisdictional statutes unless diversity. Example: U.S. Civil Statute: 47 USC 553 Brief Description: Unauthorized reception of cable service.
- VII. Requested in Complaint. Class Action. Place an "X" in this box if you are filing a class action under Rule 23, F.R.Cv.P.

 Demand. In this space enter the actual dollar amount being demanded or indicate other demand, such as a preliminary injunction.

 Jury Demand. Check the appropriate box to indicate whether or not a jury is being demanded.
- VIII. Related Cases. This section of the JS 44 is used to reference related pending cases, if any. If there are related pending cases, insert the docket numbers and the corresponding judge names for such cases.

Date and Attorney Signature. Date and sign the civil cover sheet.

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DESIGNATION FORM

(to be used by counsel or pro se plaintiff to indicate the category of the case for the purpose of assignment to the appropriate calendar)

Address of Plaintiff: 2541 N. Colorado St. Phila, PA
Address of Defendant: 1505 Arch St 14th Floor Phila, PA
Place of Accident, Incident or Transaction: 24tH! Allegheny Ave Phila PA
RELATED CASE, IF ANY:
Case Number: Judge: Date Terminated:
Civil cases are deemed related when Yes is answered to any of the following questions:
Is this case related to property included in an earlier numbered suit pending or within one year Previously terminated action in this court?
2. Does this case involve the same issue of fact or grow out of the same transaction as a prior suit yes pending or within one year previously terminated action in this court?
3. Does this case involve the validity or infringement of a patent already in suit or any earlier numbered case pending or within one year previously terminated action of this court?
4. Is this case a second or successive habeas corpus, social security appeal, or pro se civil rights Yes No No
I certify that, to my knowledge, the within case is / is not related to any case now pending or within one year previously terminated action in this court except as noted above.
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Harold Cost,

Plaintiff,

vs.

Civil Division – Civil Rights

Defendants.

United States District Court

Eastern District of Pennsylvania

Civil Division – Civil Rights

Case No.:

COMPLAINT

1. Plaintiff Harold Cost ("Cost") via counsel, David Wesley Cornish, Esquire and states he was injured as follows, and via 42 U.S.C. §§1983, 1985, and 1988, of the civil rights laws passed by Congress, provides the appropriate remedy to persons who have been deprived of their federal constitutional statutory rights under the color of state law.

JURISDICTION AND VENUE

- 2. This Court has jurisdiction over this matter pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1331 (federal question) and the Civil Rights Act of 1871, 42 U.S.C. §§1983, 1985, and 1988.
- This Court has supplemental jurisdiction for the state law claims, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §1367.
- 4. Venue is proper in this district pursuant to 28 U.S.C. §1391(b) in that Defendants work and reside in this district and virtually all the acts described in this Complaint occurred in this district.

PLAINITFF

5. Plaintiff is **Harold Cost**, an individual and resident of the United States of America, and resident of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

DEFENDANTS

6. Defendant is **Officer Kevin Bradley**, a police officer for the Philadelphia Police Department, who lives and resides in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

FACTUAL BACKGROUND

- 7. At all relevant times the Defendants acted under the color of law as the municipality of Philadelphia, supervised these municipally employed police officers, while on duty.
- 8. Plaintiff on August 19, 2015, had went to the firing range with a few friends, including DaQwan Hendricks and after their activity returned to Mr. Hendricks family property near 29th and Allegheny Avenues.
- 9. The group had used a bookbag in which was contained an unloaded and locked firearm. which the group had utilized to earlier go shooting.
- 10. While standing outside their vehicle on Mr. Hendricks driveway Defendant Bradley approaches the group.
- 11. Defendant Bradley asks Plaintiff what is in the bag, and he responds an unloaded firearm as they just returned from the firing range.
- 12. Defendant Bradley then without a warrant or an exigent circumstance opens the bag, removes the firearm and searches all the individuals present.
- 13. Defendant Bradley demands Plaintiff and others produce a concealed carry permit, despite the weapon coming directly from the range and being secured in a bookbag on one of the participants property.
- 14. Plaintiff is then arrested by Defendant Bradley for numerous firearms violations, including firearms not to be carried without a license.
- 15. Plaintiff ultimately is charged with numerous felony firearms offenses and has his case, MC-51-CR-25970-2015 terminate in his favor on or about January 22, 2020.

- 16. Further, the Plaintiff avers he was not doing anything illegal or improper on this date and time and the Defendant lacked probable cause to stop, seize, arrest, detain, and prosecute him for firearms violations.
- 17. Defendant himself or at his order had other law enforcement agents physically restrain the Plaintiff with both physical force, handcuffs, locked rooms (jail cells), and other incapacitant devices, in addition to a verbal use of force, to prevent free movement.
- 18. Defendant himself or at his order had the Plaintiff from the scene for further processing at the Police Department after searching, seizing, detaining, and arresting him.
- 19. After arresting Plaintiff, Defendant and/or other law enforcement agents at his direction, completed police paperwork and attested probable cause existed to believe Plaintiff committed a criminal act and both should be criminally charged for violating the law.
- 20. Defendant and/or other law enforcement agents at his direction, completed police paperwork regarding this incident and forwarded it to the Philadelphia District Attorney's Office for prosecuting the Plaintiff.
- 21. Plaintiff was arrested, searched, seized, detained, and prosecuted based upon alleged observations by Defendant Bradley.
- 22. Plaintiff had his bail set in this matter at and not all bailable amounts were returned, once this criminal matter was terminated in his favor.
- 23. Plaintiff was held in police custody after his arrest.
- 24. Plaintiff at no time during this investigation, was participating in criminal activity.
- 25. At no time did Plaintiff try and run, flee, resist arrest.
- 26. At no time did Plaintiff provide false and/or inaccurate information to the police related to this incident.

PLAINTIFF'S INJURIES

- 27. Plaintiff alleges and incorporates via reference the allegations contained in all the above paragraphs, as fully as though the same were set forth herein at length.
- 28. Due to the Defendants actions Plaintiff suffered the following injuries:
 - a. Physical discomfort from being handcuffed;
 - b. A loss of freedom due to the Defendants arresting him;
 - c. A loss of enjoyment and quality of life due to the Defendants actions in restraining, arresting, and prosecuting him which caused physical and psychological injuries;
 - d. A loss of employment/business opportunities due to the Defendants actions restraining, arresting, and prosecuting him;
 - e. Loss of reputation from the Defendants actions restraining, arresting, and prosecuting;
 - f. Embarrassment, anxiety, fear of being placed into prison;
 - g. Litigation expenses for this civil matter including but not limited to filing fees, administrative fees, expert fees, court costs, civil counsel fees, and the like.

COUNT 1 – MALICIOUS PROSECUTION

- 29. Plaintiff alleges and incorporates via reference the allegations contained in all the above paragraphs, as fully as though the same were set forth herein at length.
- 30. Plaintiff avers the Defendants initiated criminal proceedings in the underlying criminal case, against him via arrest, filing a criminal complaint, processing him, and consulting the District Attorney's Office about further charging him.
- 31. Plaintiff avers these Defendants lacked probable cause, as articulated in the United States Constitution's Fourth and Fourteenth Amendments, to stop, search, and detain Plaintiff

when they first encountered him, and lacked probable cause to arrest him and because these Defendants arrested him, his resulting imprisonment was unjust, illegal, and was the direct and causal reason he was incarcerated.

- 32. Plaintiff's criminal charges initiated by the Defendants terminated in his favor.
- 33. Plaintiff avers the Defendants acted maliciously or for a purpose other than bringing him to justice, as Plaintiff was not committing a crime when he first encountered the Defendants.
- 34. Plaintiff avers because of this criminal proceeding, he suffered a significant deprivation of liberty and freedom as he was held in pre-trial incarceration.
- 35. Further, Plaintiff avers Defendants obscured the District Attorney's Office from making an independent judgment about the merits of prosecution as these Defendants failed to provide materially honest evidence and statements regarding Plaintiff, the evidence observed, and recovered.
- 36. Plaintiff avers but for the Defendant filing a criminal complaint based on fabricated/nonexistent/mistaken evidence he would never have had a criminal case initiated against him.
- 37. The Defendant directly, foreseeably, legally, and proximately caused Plaintiff to have suffered unjust, unwarranted, and unlawful incarceration, prosecution, and/or will continue to suffer the following damages: Physical injuries including pain and suffering, Public shame and embarrassment, Loss of enjoyment of life, Loss of enjoyment of freedom, and Past and future pain and suffering, extreme inconvenience, and emotional distress.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff demands judgment against the Defendant, in an official, professional, individual, and personal capacity, individually, jointly, and severally for compensatory, punitive, and exemplary damages in addition to attorneys' fees, costs, interest, and the like in excess of one hundred and fifty-thousand dollars (\$150,000).

PUNITIVE DAMAGES REQUEST

- 38. Plaintiff alleges and incorporates via reference the allegations contained in all the above paragraphs, as fully as though the same were set forth herein at length.
- 39. Defendants actions in depriving Plaintiff of his rights, freedoms, privileges, and liberties is so outrageous as to shock the conscience of reasonable persons and shows reckless indifference for the Plaintiffs' rights.

WHEREFORE, Plaintiff demands exemplary and punitive damages plus attorneys' fees and costs in an amount in excess of One-Hundred and Fifty-Thousand Dollars (\$150,000) against the Defendant officially, personally, professionally, individually, jointly, and severally.

JURY DEMAND

- 40. Plaintiff alleges and incorporates via reference the allegations contained in all the above paragraphs, as fully as though the same were set forth herein at length.
- 41. Plaintiffs demand a jury to determine the extent of damages and provide a full and fair determination pursuant to the United States Constitutional Amendments V, VI, and XIV.

Respectfully Submitted,

/S/ David Wesley Cornish, Esquire

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ATTORNEY FOR PLAINTIFF

DATE: January 20, 2022

VERIFICATION

The facts set forth in the foregoing Complaint are true and correct to the best of the undersigned's knowledge, information and belief and are verified subject to the penalties for perjury and unsworn falsification to authorities and/or the tribunal pursuant to state and federal law.

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